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Attention: Ms. Sue Kiser

Attention: Mr. Ray Sukys

Dear Ms. Kiser and Mr. Sukys:

The California Department of Transportation has completed the review of San Diego Association of Governments' (SANDAG) administrative modification numbers 8 and 9 to their 2008/09 – 2013/14 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP). SANDAG submitted this change consistent with the Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP) modification procedures. This change does not require Federal Highway Administration or Federal Transit Administration (FTA) approval. Therefore, it has been incorporated into California's 2009 FSTIP.

Administrative modification number 8 adds American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act) funds such as FTA 5307, FTA 5309 and FTA 5311. Administrative modification number 9 adds Regional Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) – Recovery Act funds in exchange for TransNet Major Corridor Funds (local funds) for two projects, Interstate 805/Carroll Canyon Direct Access Ramp (CAL09C) and State Route 76 –Middle (CAL29). The amendment adds Recovery Act -Transportation Enhancement funds for one project, the Grossmont Pedestrian Enhancement Project (V04). Recovery Act FTA 5307 funds were added along with a change of lead agency for two projects from North County Transit to SANDAG and "various agencies" for the Bridge & Infrastructure Program and for the San Luis Transit Center, respectively.

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Please address any questions on this FSTIP approval request to Joanne McDermott at (916) 651-7411.

Sincerely,

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